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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicants: TADOKORO, et al.

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For: Fabrication Method Of Semiconductor Integrated  
Circuit Device

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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

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December 10, 2003

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit the filing of a response within the third month subsequent to the expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed June 10, 2003.

A payment in the amount of \$950.00 to cover the fee required for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case: 501.40201X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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